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I am a 51 year old active voter from New York. I have always cherished the democratic idea of diversity. It is what makes this our country special. It is what many in my family have fought and died for and indeed is a passionate part of my American belief. The ability to hear differences of opinions, different voices, a full spectrum of concepts and perceptions are essential to the preservation of our liberty. So when I consider that recently corporations have had the ability to hinder the flow of contrasting views by saturating the airwaves with the same news the same views over and over again I am greatly concerned that what I hold dear (diversity) will some day vanish and never to be heard of again. The air waves are owned by the American people it is one of our greatest assets. So why is it given away to those who put profit and control in front of basic American values. Corporations should be regulated to serve the interest of the people not to control them. I fear by allowing them to saturate the market with the single minded corporate refuse we then remove an irreplaceable advantage this country desperately needs right now. So DON'T allow corporations the chance take our airwaves. DON'T give our assets to the profiteers. THE AIRWAVES BELONG TO THE PEOPLE...